

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| IN RE APPLICATION OF:                     | § | DOCKET NO.: 56.0555CNT2 |
| Dahayanake et al.                         | § |                         |
|   | § | SERIAL NO.: 10/684,828  |
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| FILED: October 14, 2003                   | § | EXAMINER: P. Tucker     |
|   | § |                         |
|   | § | ART UNIT: 1712          |
|   | § |                         |
| TITLE: Viscoelastic Surfactant Fluids and | § |                         |
| Related Methods of Use                    | § |                         |

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir: In response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2006, which was made final,  
Applicants provide the following:

**Amendments to the Specification:** None.

**Amendments to the Claims:** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** None.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.